

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims:**

- 5     1 (currently amended): An optical disk drive for driving an optical disk, wherein the optical disk has a center hole, the optical disk drive comprising:
- a base for holding the optical disk;
  - a protrusion protruding out from the base for that extends through the center hole when carrying the optical disk; and
  - 10     at least one hook rotatably installed on the protrusion;
- wherein the hook is a magnetic hook, and the protrusion further comprises a magnet to attract the hook,
- 15     wherein when the disk drive stops, the hook is retracted by the attractive force of the magnet to within the edge of the protrusion and when disk is rotated up to a predetermined speed, the hook extends out from the edge of the protrusion to hook the optical disk.
- 2-5 (cancelled).
- 20     6 (currently amended): The device of ~~claim-5~~ claim 1 wherein in low speed rotation or a stop mode, the magnet retracts the ~~hooks~~ hook to within the edge of the protrusion by magnetic attraction to have the ~~hooks~~ hook leave from the optical disk.
- 7 (cancelled).
- 25     8 (currently amended): The device of claim 1 wherein in high speed rotation, the ~~hooks rotate and extend~~ hook rotates and extends out to hook the optical disk by the centrifugal force obtained by the rotation.
- 30     9 (original): The device of claim 1 wherein the base is a tray slidably installed in a housing of the optical disk drive.

10 (original): An optical disk drive for driving an optical disk, wherein the optical disk has a center hole, the optical disk drive comprising:  
a base for holding the optical disk;  
5 a protrusion protruding out from the base that extends through the center hole of the optical disk when carrying the optical disk; and  
at least one hook slidably installed on the protrusion,  
wherein when the disk drive stops, the hook is retracted to within the edge of the protrusion and when disk is rotated up to a predetermined speed, the hook  
10 extends out from the edge of the protrusion to hook the optical disk.

11 (currently amended): The device of claim 10 wherein the ~~hooks are~~ hook is a magnetic hook ~~hooks~~, and the protrusion further comprises a magnet to attract the hook ~~hooks~~.  
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12 (currently amended): The device of claim 11 wherein in low speed rotation or a stop mode, the magnet retracts the ~~hooks~~ hook to within the edge of the protrusion by magnetic attraction to have the ~~hooks~~ hook leave from the optical disk.

20 13 (currently amended): The device of claim 10 wherein in high speed rotation, the ~~hooks slide and extend~~ hook slides and extends out to hook the optical disk by the centrifugal force obtained by the rotation.

14 (original): The device of claim 10 wherein the base is a tray slidably installed in a  
25 housing of the optical disk drive.